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Appellant's reply brief filed September 30, 2009 is acknowledged and entered. Appellant asserts that the Examiner's Answer is improper under MPEP 1207.02(A)(9)(e). The requirements of this section have already been met in the Examiner's Answer on pages 3-4, bridging sentence, and also on page 6, the paragraph beginning at the first indented dash. Therefore, the Examiner's Answer is proper.

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